cket No.: 049657-0586 **PATENT** 

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

re Application of : Customer Number: 20277

YUICHI KUNORI : Confirmation Number: 5036

Application No.: 09/469,497 : Group Art Unit: 2188

Filed: December 22, 1999 : Examiner: Jasmine Song

For: MULTILEVEL STORAGE NONVOLATILE SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY DEVICE ENABLING HIGH-SPEED DATA READING AND HIGH-SPEED DATA WRITING

## **AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Noting the Request for Continued Examination filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows: